sent to the Municipal Council by the Sanitary Engineer after that period :—

(1) A scheme costing Rs. 62,000 for water supply to Tarikere from Rangapura Halla on 17th June 1935.

(2) A scheme for Rs. 2,128 for extending and improving the water supply to the town on 24th July 1939.

(3) The scheme referred to in clause (*c*) below.

The supply at present is from bore-wells by means of taps.

(*b*) The Municipal Council have incurred an expenditure of Rs. 22,151 up to the end of June 1941. The Government have given a grant of Rs. 4,006-11-1.

(*c*) A scheme for the supply of water from the Siddlipur *anicut* at an estimated cost of Rs. 1,50,000 and a recurring cost of Rs. 5,000 per annum is stated to have been prepared by the Sanitary Engineer and it has ince been revised to Rs. 2,85,750 and Rs. 10,000 respectively.

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) In July 1939.

The proposals of the Municipal Council are as follows :—

(1) The municipal share of the cost be met by raising a debenture loan carrying interest at 4 per cent.

(2) In order to pay the loan instalments and to meet the recurring charges, the following additional taxes be levied :—

(i) A water tax at the rate of eight annas per rupee of tax on buildings and lands.

(ii) A fee of Rs. 2 per mensem for each house connection.

(iii) Enhancement of the rate of market fees on laden and unladen carts and head-loads and levy of ground rent on shops according to the space occupied in the shandy maidan.

(*f*) Neither the scheme referred to in clause (*c*) *supra* nor the proposals referred to in clause (*e*) have yet been submitted to Government.

MR. K. NEELAKANTIAH (Bowringpet—Urban).—

Q.—24. Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) how many representations have been received from the public for the past four years stating that an *anicut* may be constructed for the Hosakere Maravehalla of Kamsandra, Bowringpet taluk, at Yeddalamadagu near Kenduli, thus enabling the raiyats to have wet cultivation, and that the present *anicut* is not supplying water to many lands ;

(*b*) whether the raiyats have sent up petitions to Government offering to pay half the amount, *viz.*, Rs. 10,000 as contribution out of the estimated cost of Rs. 20,000 for the *anicut* and the channel ;

(*c*) when the Taluk Amidar Mr. H. M. Sreenivasaiah inspected the spot and whether the officers of the Engineering Department inspected the spot ;

(*d*) whether it is a fact that round about this spot for nearly three miles the villagers have no other tank ?

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (Mr. M. G. Mehkri).—

A.—(*a*) Two representations.

(*b*) One petition in 1939 offering to pay a contribution of Rs. 20 per acre.

(*c*) The Amildar, Bowringpet taluk, reports that there is nothing on record to show that Mr. Sreenivasaiah inspected the spot. The Executive Engineer inspected the spot on 9th July 1938 and he was of opinion that the proposal was not feasible.

(*d*) Yes.

MR. P. M. SIDDAPPA (Malavalli—Rural).—

Q.—25. Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) the number of hospitals of different kinds in Mandya district (information to be given talukwar) ;

(*b*) whether it has come to the notice of the Government that some of the hospitals are not working satisfactorily ;

(*c*) if so, what is the number of such hospitals and what are the steps taken to improve them (information to be given talukwar) ?

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT, DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT (Mr V. Vedavyasacharya).—

A.—(*a*) There are 35 medical institutions working in the Mandya district as detailed below :—

MANDYA TALUK.—

1. General Hospital, Mandya.
2. P. W. Dispensary, Ghamanahalli.
3. Do do Garudanahalli.
4. Subsidised Dispensary, Koppa.
5. Do do Basaral.
6. Itinerant Dispensary, Keelara.
7. Do do Shivalli.
8. Malaria Relief Centre, Keragod.
9. Do do Kothathi.
10. Do do Hanakere

MADDUR TALUK.—

11. L. F. Dispensary, Maddur.
12. District Board Dispensary, Basagarahalli
13. Itinerant Dispensary, Doddarasinakere.
14. Do do Gejjalagere.

MALAVALLI TALUK.—

15. L. F. Dispensary, Malavalli.
16. C. P. S. Hospital, Sivasamudram.
17. Do do Shimshapura.
18. Subsidised Dispensary, Belakawadi.
19. District Board Dispensary, Halagur.
20. P. W. Dispensary. Thalagawady.

KRISHNARAJPET TALUK.—

21. L. F. Dispensary, Krishnarajpet.
22. Do do Akkihebbal.
23. Do do Seelaneri.
24. Do do Kyathanahalli.
25. Do do Kikkeri.
26. District Board Dispensary. Santhebachalli.
27. Subsidised Dispensary, Sindhughatta
28. Itinerant Dispensary, Somanahalli.
29. Do do Muduvanakodi.

SERINGAPATAM TALUK.—

30. L. F. Hospital, Seringapatam.